

EXECUTIVE SESSION

NOMINATIONS DISCHARGED AND
EXECUTIVE CALENDAR

Mr. FRIST. I ask unanimous consent the Senate proceed to executive session; provided further that the Foreign Relations Committee be discharged from further consideration of the following nominations: Marie Yovanovitch, PN 566; John Beyrle, PN 569; Ronald Spogli, PN 606; Robert Tuttle, PN 607; provided further that the Agriculture Committee be discharged from further consideration of Reuben Jeffery III, PN 519 and PN 520; Walter Lukken, PN 534; provided further that the Senate proceed to their consideration and the following nominations on the calendar en bloc: No. 188, 190, 191, 194, 196 through 201 and all nominations on the Secretary's desk.

I further ask that the nominations be confirmed and the motions to reconsider laid upon the table and the President be immediately notified of the Senate's action and the Senate resume legislative session.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The nominations considered and confirmed en bloc are as follows:

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Marie L. Yovanovitch, of Connecticut, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Kyrgyz Republic.

John Ross Beyrle, of Michigan, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Minister-Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Bulgaria.

Ronald Spogli, of California, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Italian Republic.

Robert H. Tuttle, of California, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

Reuben Jeffery III, of the District of Columbia, to be a Commissioner of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission for a term expiring April 13, 2007.

Reuben Jeffery III, of the District of Columbia, to be Chairman of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

Walter Lukken, of Indiana, to be a Commissioner of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission for a term expiring April 13, 2010.

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Ashok G. Kaveeshwar, of Maryland, to be Administrator of the Research and Innovative Technology Administration, Department of Transportation.

COAST GUARD

Following named officer to serve as the Director of the Coast Guard Reserve pursuant to Title 14, U.S.C. Section 53 in the grade indicated:

To be rear admiral

RADM Sally Brice-O'Hara, 0000

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Tom Luce, of Texas, to be Assistant Secretary for Planning, Evaluation, and Policy Development, Department of Education.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Daniel R. Stanley, of Kansas, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

AIR FORCE

The following named officer for appointment as Chief of Staff of the Air Force, and for appointment to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., sections 8033 and 601:

To be general

Gen. Teed M. Moseley, 0000

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Air Force to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 624:

To be brigadier general

Col. William N. McCasland, 0000

ARMY

The following named officers for appointment in the Reserve of the Army to the grades indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 12203:

To be major general

Brig. Gen. Robert J. Kasulke, 0000

To be brigadier general

Col. Stanley L. K. Flemming, 0000

The following Army National Guard of the United States officer for appointment in the Reserve of the Army to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 12203:

To be brigadier general

Col. Larry J. Studer, 0000

The following named officer for appointment as the Dean of the Academic Board, United States Military Academy and for appointment to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., sections 624 and 4335:

To be brigadier general

Col. Patrick Finnegan, 0000

NAVY

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Navy to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 624:

To be rear admiral

Rear Adm. (1h) Mark A. Hugel, 0000

NOMINATIONS PLACED ON THE SECRETARY'S
DESK

AIR FORCE

PN609 AIR FORCE nominations (58) beginning RONALD H. ALFORS, and ending DAVID R. ZARTMAN, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 9, 2005.

PN610 AIR FORCE nominations (11) beginning GREGORY H. BLAKE, and ending PAUL E. TURNQUIST, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 9, 2005.

PN611 AIR FORCE nomination of Gary D. Davis, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 9, 2005.

PN612 AIR FORCE nominations (2) beginning JOHN A. CAVER, and ending THOMAS B. DUNHAM, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 9, 2005.

PN613 AIR FORCE nominations (3) beginning GRETCHEN S. DUNKELBERGER, and ending JANET I. SESSUMS, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 9, 2005.

PN614 AIR FORCE nominations (2) beginning WILLIAM F. EVANS, and ending LESLIE R. HYDER, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 9, 2005.

PN615 AIR FORCE nominations (6) beginning WILBERT W. EDGERTON, and ending

SUZANNE PETERS, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 9, 2005.

ARMY

PN576 ARMY nominations (4) beginning Humberto Buitrago, and ending Phyllis Y. Spivey, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 6, 2005.

PN577 ARMY nominations (2) beginning IRA I. KRONENBERG, and ending GARY P. MAUCK, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 6, 2005.

PN578 ARMY nomination of Eric M. Radford, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 6, 2005.

PN579 ARMY nomination of Paul F. Russell, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 6, 2005.

PN581 ARMY nominations (3) beginning MARK W. BRUNS, and ending DONALD O. LAGACE, JR., which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 6, 2005.

PN654 ARMY nomination of Kenneth D. Ortega, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 23, 2005.

PN655 ARMY nomination of Charles H. Edwards, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 23, 2005.

PN656 ARMY nomination of Slobodan Jazarevic, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 23, 2005.

PN657 ARMY nomination of David M. Bartoszek, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 23, 2005.

MARINE CORPS

PN619 MARINE CORPS nomination of Robert D. Dunston, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 9, 2005.

NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC
ADMINISTRATION

PN642 NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION nominations (22) beginning Paul L. Schattgen, and ending David J. Zezula, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 16, 2005.

NAVY

PN591 NAVY nomination of Jeffrey D. Weitz, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 6, 2005.

PN658 NAVY nomination of Ronald D. Tomlin, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 23, 2005.

PN659 NAVY nominations (23) beginning RONNIE E. ARGILLANDER, and ending WILLIAM J. WILBURN, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of June 23, 2005.

LEGISLATIVE SESSION

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Under the previous order, the Senate will resume legislative session.

CONDITIONAL ADJOURNMENT OF
THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
AND CONDITIONAL RECESS OR
ADJOURNMENT OF THE
SENATE

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate